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FM AMEMBASSY DAKAR

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 6994

INFO AMEMBASSY ROME PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY BANJUL UNN

AMEMBASSY NIAMEY

UNCLAS DAKAR 2796

AFDROUGHT

EO 11652: NA

SUBJ: WFP GAMBIA ALLOCATION FOR TRANSHIPMENT FROM DAKAR

NIAMEY FOR INSP GENERAL TODD

REF: A. DAKAR 2510 B. DAKAR 2487 C. STATE 099442 D. DAKAR 2593:

1. DESPITE URGENT RECOMMENDATION BY WFP REP IN DAKAR TO WFP/ROME THAT TRANSPORT COSTS 1,000 MT SORGHUM (WHICH ARRIVED MAY 23 ABOARD AMERICAN ORIOLE) DESTINED FOR TRANSHIPMENT TO WFP BANJUL BE ASSUMED BY PARENT AGENCY, ROME ANSWER IS NEGATIVE. TEXT OF RESPONSE REPEATED BELOW:

QUOTE UR TELS PAM 85/87 WFP NOT AGREEABLE ACCEPT FORWARDING COSTS DAKAR BANJUL 1100 MT SORGHUM EX AMERICAN ORIOLE STOP HAVE REQUESTED WASHINGTON ARRANGE FORWARDING AND ACCEPT COSTS THEIR ACCOUNT STOP IN ORDER WE MAY FOLLOW UP KINDLY ADVISE WHEN BAGGING COMPLETED AND READY FOR FORWARDING. WORLDROOD/ ROME UNQUOTE.

2. THIS RESPONSE AS BAFFLING TO MISSION AS IT IS PRESUMABLY DISTASTEFUL TO WFP/REP. INITIATIVE WAS TAKEN, AND AID/W APPROVAL SOUGHT, ONLY AFTER APPEAL FROM WFP
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GAMBIA REP FOR EXPEDITIOUS ACTION TO EFFECT ARRIVAL

OF COMMODITIES EARLIEST IN BANJUL DUE APPROACHING
RAINY SEASON AND NECESSITY FOR INLAND TRANSPORTATION/
PRE-POSITIONING PRIOR THIS EVENT. IT MAY BE ADDED THAT
APPEAL WAS MADE ONLY AFTER REPEATED EFFORTS BY WFP/
GAMBIA TO ELICIT RESPONSE FROM PARENT AGENCY HAD COME
TO NAUGHT.

3. PLEASE ADVISE MISSION EARLIEST (COMMODITY NOW UNDER
BAGGING) ON ACTION TO BE TAKEN, VIEW THIS DEVELOPMENT.
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